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Amendments to the Claims:

The listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the

application:

Listing of Claims:

Claims 1-5 (canceled)

Claim 6 (previously presented) A method for preparing a biologically active factor VIII

having modified glycosylation comprising the steps of

mutating a desired segment of factor VIII DNA to encode –N-X-S/T, where

N is asparagine, X is any amino acid, and S/T is serine or threonine by

replacing the leucine at residue 3 of SEQ ID NO:2 of the A2 domain with

asparagine, thereby providing mutated factor VIII DNA encoding a post-

translational glycosylation site at the desired segment of the factor VIII

protein, and

expressing the mutated DNA in a host cell capable of post-translational

glycosylation, whereby biologically active factor VIII having modified

glycosylation is prepared.

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